

The military life of Mr. Macon finished with his departure from the camp on the Yukon, and his civil public life commenced on his arrival at the General Land Office, where he had been appointed as a member of the civil public life in which he was continued about forty years by free elections—Representative in Congress under Washington, Adams, Jefferson, and Madison, and long the Speaker of the House; Senator in Congress under Madison, Monroe, and John Quincy Adams; and Secretary of the Interior under Jackson, and until voluntarily declining, twice refused to be Post-Master General under Jefferson, never taking any office but that to which he was elected; and resigning his last Senatorial term when it was only half run. The only characteristic trait remains to be told of Mr. Macon's life, and that is his refusal of promotion, (the example of Washington, being out of the line of comparison,) he refused to receive pay or to accept promotion, and served three years as a pri-

And the event has proved that his judgment, as always, committed no mistake when it bestowed that confidence. The two papers, which were born with him, suited his place, becoming in him, constituting a part of his character, and necessary to its completeness. He never subscribed to charities, but gave, and gave freely, according to his own judgment. He did not know what the right hand did. He never subscribed for new books, giving as a reason to the soliciting agent that nobody purchased his tobacco until it was inspected, and he could buy no book until it was inspected. He was a member of the Congress Presidential Caucus of 1824, although it was sure to nominate his own choice, (Mr. Crawford); and, when a reason was wanted, gave it in the brief answer that he attended one once and they clapped him on the back, and he never attended another. He always wore the same dress—that is to say, a suit of the same material, cut, and color, su-perfine navy blue—the whole suit from the same source, and of the same color, and of the same texture, and always replaced by a new one before it showed age. He was neat in his person, always wore fine linen, a fine cambric stock, a fine fur hat with a fine fair top-knot—the boot outside of the pantaloon, and the shoe outside of the stocking, and, than cloth. He would wear no man's honors, and


support of the Public Lands. If such be Democrats at all, they are not good Democrats and ought not to be sustained by the Democratic party. Democrats are not to be divided by race and cast your votes only for the faithful. Your party and your principles require you to do this.

The Democratic party in North Carolina are in the ascendant. Let it not be distracted and divided by race. Let us stand together and maintain the principles of the party, let us cast them off as unworthy of our confidence and support. And let us prove true to such as are the firm advocates of Democratic principles. By this means the Democratic principles will continue to triumph in North Carolina. *Half-breed Republican.*

MOBILE, Ala., July 25. The New Orleans Picayune, received here, contains Santa Fe dates to the 11th of July, which fully confirms the withdrawal of Gen. Trias and his troops from the Mesilla Valley, by order of the Mexican Government of War.

The closing of the Texas and Santa Fe for the purpose of executing the unjust intentions of the Government of the United States in locating the Indians of California within the bounds of New Mexico. A strong protest and a series of resolutions were adopted by the Legislature of the State and forwarded to the President of the United States.

Remember that Lewis is the **STRONGEST** MAN—that the contest is between him and Mr. Rogers—that Mr. Venable **CANNOT BE ELECTED**, and that every vote for him will be thrown away.

 The proceedings of the late meeting of the Stockholders of the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Company, have been received, and shall appear in our next.

John M. Daniel, Esq., Editor of the Richmond Examiner, has been appointed by the President *Charge de Affaires* to Sardinia. We record this appointment with pleasure, though we shall miss Mr. Daniel's rich and rare Editorials.